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SUBJECT: INDIAN OPIUM HARVEST (C-ER-4-57945)
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1. THOUGH ESTIMATE OF 1,100 TONS FROM 52,000 HECTARES RECENTLY REAFFIRMED BY GOI REPS DURING CND MEETING AT GENEVA, WE REMAIN CONCERNED AT POSSIBILITY SUBSTANTIAL SHORTFALL. ABNORMALLY DRY WEATHER IN MANY AREAS DURING JANUARY AND FEBRUARY (REF B), SHORTAGES OF ELECTRICITY AND DIESEL FUEL WHICH MAY HAMPER IRRIGATION, AND OTHER FACTORS MAY HAVE IMPAC ON AMOUNT OF OPIUM GUM ACTUALLY HARVESTED.

2. GIVEN IMPORTANCE OF INDIAN OPIUM FOR WORLD MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS, WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR CURRENT ASSESSMENT AND PERIODIC UPDATE AS NEW DATA MAY APPEAR TO AFFECT HARVEST EXPECTATIONS. PLEASE CITE C-ER-4-57945. KISSINGER
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